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## **NEWS RELEASE**

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### **UM HONORS OUTSTANDING GRADUATING SENIORS**

**MISSOULA, Mont.--**

The best and brightest seniors attending The University of Montana-Missoula and its College of Technology were honored for their achievements April 25 during the 11th annual Senior Recognition Day.

A President's Recognition Award was presented to the top graduating senior from each school and academic department. Faculty chose students on the basis of academic achievement and devotion to their department. Select seniors also received awards from UM-recognized organizations. All told, 69 seniors were honored.

The President's Office and the Pentralia Chapter of Mortar Board co-sponsored the awards ceremony, which was held at the University Theatre. Presentation of the awards was based on the ideals upon which Mortar Board National Honor Society was founded: scholarship, leadership and service.

Following is a list of hometowns, graduating seniors and the departments or organizations that honored them with a President's Recognition Award.

**Atlanta** -- Emilie Brooks Reagan, Department of Geology.

**Cleveland** -- David Dixon, Department of Geography.

**Dell Rapids, S.D.** -- Jessica Osborn, Honors Student Association.

**Fallon, Nev.** -- Leslie Anne Dahl, Department of History.

**Greeley, Colo.** -- Kendra Eyer, Department of Mathematical Sciences.

**Houghton, Mich.** -- Willow Foster, Division of Biological Sciences -- botanical sciences.

**Ketchum, Idaho** -- Amanda Harris, Health and Human Performance.

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**Lakewood, Colo.** -- Jean Joo, Department of Chemistry.

**Lehi, Utah** -- Corey Clayton, Health and Human Performance.

**Lincoln, Calif.** -- Tony March, Division of Biological Sciences -- microbiology.

**Littleton, Colo.** -- Aubree Holliman, Department of English -- teacher training.

**Memphis, Tenn.** -- Kathleen Fisher, Woodsmen's Team.

**Muscatine, Iowa** -- Erin Kautz, Women's Center.

**Muskego, Wis.** -- Ronald Acker, Kappa Psi Pharmaceutical Fraternity.

**Pico Rivera, Calif.** -- Department of Curriculum and Instruction -- secondary education.

**Park Ridge, Ill.** -- Nathaniel Cerf, The University of Montana Fencing Club.

**Quakertown, Penn.** -- Trevor Laboski, Division of Biological Sciences -- teacher preparation.

**Rancho Penasquitos, Calif.** -- Keith Nielsen, Department of Computer Science.

**Salt Lake City** -- Amy Beal, Academy of Students of Pharmacy; and Brooke McCombs, Student Recreation Association.

**Sandpoint, Idaho** -- Mia Cobell, Division of Biological Sciences -- zoological sciences.

**Thousand Oaks, Calif.** -- Jennifer Gardner, Department of Political Science.

**Vancouver, Wash.** -- Travis Togo, Pi Mu Epsilon.

**Wallace, Idaho** -- Michelle Heyn, Department of Mathematical Sciences -- math education.

**Zionsville, Penn.** -- Allyson Shaffer, The University of Montana Druids.

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